

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 31, 1890.

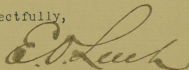
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E. A. Lusk

Director.

Treasury Department.
Washington, D. C.
January 31, 1890.

E. O. Leach,
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